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Applicant: David S. WELLS, *et al.*

Title: SUSTAINED-RELEASE FORMULATIONS FOR  
TREATING CNS-MEDIATED DISORDERS

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed November 5, 2004 in connection with the captioned application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: